

# Ngamo language

**Ngamo** (also known as Ngamawa, Gamo, Gamawa) is an Afro-Asiatic language spoken in Nigeria.<sup>[1]</sup> The native Ngamo language has two major dialects, viz, Gudi Ngamo and Yaya Ngamo. These dialects are spoken by the various clans both within and outside Gadaka.

## Notes

1. Ngamo (<https://www.ethnologue.com/18/language/nbh/>) at Ethnologue (18th ed., 2015)
2. Hammarström, Harald; Forkel, Robert; Haspelmath, Martin, eds. (2017). "Ngamo" (<http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/ngam1282>). Glottolog 3.0. Jena, Germany: Max Planck Institute for the Science of Human History.

## Further reading

- Jibir Audu Janga Dole, Umaru Mamu Goge, and Isa Adamu Gashinge, 2009, Ngamo-English-Hausa Dictionary ([http://www.humnet.ucla.edu/humnet/aflang/Yobe/Dictionaries/Ngamo\\_english\\_hausa\\_2009.pdf](http://www.humnet.ucla.edu/humnet/aflang/Yobe/Dictionaries/Ngamo_english_hausa_2009.pdf)), Yobe Languages Research Project.

## External links

- Ngamo language materials (<http://aflang.humanities.ucla.edu/language-materials/afro-asiatic-languages/chadic-languages/yobe/ngamo/>) from UCLA

<b>Ngamo</b>	
<b>Native to</b>	Nigeria
<b>Region</b>	Gombe State, Yobe State
<b>Native speakers</b>	(60,000 cited 1993) <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>Language family</b>	Afro-Asiatic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Chadic</li> <li>▪ West Chadic</li> <li>▪ Bole–Angas</li> <li>▪ Bole–Tangale (A.2)</li> <li>▪ Bole (North)</li> <li>▪ Ngamo</li> </ul>
<b>Language codes</b>	
<b>ISO 639-3</b>	nbh
<b>Glottolog</b>	ngam1282 ( <a href="http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/ngam1282">http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/ngam1282</a> ) <sup>[2]</sup>

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